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it may be desirable, by local arrangement, to have this officer serve as the link between the CIA Senior Representative and the Commander.) It is within the discretion of the CIA as to the extent of knowledge of "cold war" operations to be transmitted to the military Commander, provided that:

(a) Where the latter is called upon to support such operations, he must have sufficient information to do so intelligently and understandingly.

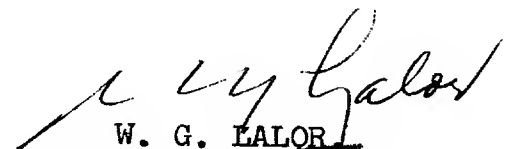
(b) Where such operations have an impact on the Commander's peacetime responsibilities, he must be kept fully informed.

(c) Where such operations affect the Commander's capabilities for "hot" war, he must be kept fully informed.

(2) Coordination on these matters between the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Unified Commanders is effected by the normal command relationship.

3. It is recognized that, in view of the delicate nature of these matters, these coordinating mechanisms are dependent for their workability on mutual understanding and maximum cooperation on the part of the limited numbers of specially qualified personnel who are primarily responsible for carrying them out.

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